

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Michael Tjader	Examiner: Frank Tsay
Serial No.:	10/757,378	Group Art Unit: 3672
Filed:	January 14, 2004	Docket No: 1523.058US1
Title	CONNECTION DESIGN AND SONDE HOUSING ASSEMBLY FOR A DIRECTIONAL DRILL	

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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 6, 2006, said period of response being extended from June 6, 2006 to July 6, 2006.

**Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

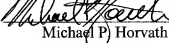
Respectfully Submitted

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